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On Olive Street at Seventh.

Elevator No. 5, Century building, ran wild yesterday morning, dropping from the eighth to the second floor, where the safety appliances brought the car to a udden stop, shaking up the passengers. Seven persons were in the car, four of them ladies, and when the elevator start-ed on its plunge downward, there were screams and shricks, each passenger ex-pecting to be dashed to pieces at the bot-tom. Though they were badly shaken up, none of those in the car was seriously in-jured.

ceting to be dashed to pieces at the bottom. Though they were badly shaken up, and the shaken up Mons of those in the car was seriously arjured.

Martin Suckermann of No. 329 North
Ninth street, 17 years old, who is employed by the Interstate Commerce Assoclation as a messenger, limped out of
the car when it reached the ground floor.
The boy was sent to a physician in the
building for treatment. Suckermann was
recently injured by a fall from his bicycle,
and the physician stated that he was suftering from his old hurt.

Conductor Remley, who was in charge
of the elevator, stated that the car was
started downward by some of the passengers who accidentally struck the lever.

resentatives to National Convention Elected by St. Rose's.

St. Rose's Council, No. 50, Knights of er Mathew, at its meeting, last day night, in St. Rose's Hall, Etzel and Goodfellow avenues, elected Chief Sir and Nicholas Quan delegates to the na-tional convention of the order, to be held in Music Hall in the Exposition building, October 16, 11 and 12 John Dennehy, John Lane and Frank Fuerst were chosen al-Sir Knights T. Burke and John Frayne



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PASSENGERS ESCAPE INJURY. of St. Teresa's Council, attended the meeting, and made addresses. Three applications for membership were received at the meeting, and three the previous meeting. St. Rose's Council has seventy-one members, and is growing rapidly.

CIVIC LEAGUE TO ASSIST. Tenders Services in Testing Va-

lidity of Smoke Law. The Civic Improvement League, through its Smoke Abatement Committee, has vol-unteered its services to the Attorney Gen-

Goettler Hat Company. Correct styles. 120 S. Broadway.

MOPS THE "SPIELER'S" FACE

Scrub Woman Wields Floor Cleaner With Telling Effect.

Alfred Duff, No. 2738 Bernard street, who is employed as a "spieler" in front of an Italian restaurant at Twentleth and Morgan streets, became engaged in an altercation with Dollie Daugherty of No. 2342 Randolph street, employed as a dishwasher in a Jewish restaurant next door, her in a second called her called asserts that Alfred called her nes while she was mopping the front so, and that he had no right in the

names while she was mopping the front steps, and that he bad no right in the world to do so.

Whereupon she seized the bucket containing the suds and hit him on the head with it, knocking him down and inflicting a slight scalp wound. She then pushed the frothy end of the mop into his face.

Duff was taken to the City Dispensary, where his wounds were dressed and he and Dollie were locked up on cross charges of disturbing the peace.

FOR MEN. FOR WOMEN. The Brown Shoe Company's White House shoes for men, \$3.50 per pair; White House shoes for women, \$3 per pair. At Barr's Shoe Department, Seventh and Oliyo streets,

DRIVER'S SKULL FRACTURED. Louis Ferrari Sustain's Fatal Injury in Quarry.

Louis Ferrari of No. 2023 Rutger street, a driver for the contracting firm of Eyermann & Bro., was almost instantly killed yesterday at their quarry at Grand nd Chouteau avenues.

He had driven his wagon under the lift which raises the stone into the crusher when either a stone or a piece of the machinery feil on him, crushing his skuli.

He was taken to the Marion-Sims College dispensary at Grand avenue and Caroline street, but was dead before he reached there. The body was taken to the morgue.

Lightning Kills Two Children.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Athens, Tex., Sept. 22—During a very beavy electrical storm and rain yesterday evening two children of Mat Edwards, 6 and 8 years old, were killed by lightning. The family was in the field picking cot-ton, and when the storm came up start-ed to the house.

Cure for Asthma and Hay Fever

The statements published below confirm the claim of Dr. Schiffmann that his remedy is an absolute cure for Asthma and Hay Fever.

Mrs. Mary Zachery, Pleasant Hill, La., says: "I have found your Asthma Cure a permanent cure for Asthma, for which I used it? years ago. I have never had the slightest return of the trouble since. I have also found your remedy excellent in Bronchial affections."

A Hay Fever sufferer writes: "I have

Bronchial affections."

A Hay Fever sufferer writes: "I have had Hay Fever for 14 years. I bought a package of your remedy (Schiffmann's Asthma Cure, of our druggist and due to its use this is the first summer that I have not been troubled." Mrs. Frank Guilfogle, 237 Ridge avenue, Roxboro, Philadelphia. Sold by druggists at 50c and \$1.00.

Send 2c stamp to Dr. R. Schiffmann, Box 890, St. Paul, Minn., for a free sample package.

BRIDE TO POSE AS A MODEL

Wedding Gown Will Be Presented by the National Dressmakers' Association Before Wedding.

The National Dressmakers' Association yesterday listened to a talk by Mrs. Linda Ross Wade, vice president of the association, on the use of odds and ends and how pieces left in the shop room can be used to advantage. Mile. Baker, president, told the dressmakers what to do with trim-

A unique and pretty feature of the convention is to take place to-night, when a real bride will be dressed before the as-

real bride will be dressed before the association and their visitors. Her marriage will be celebrated immediately after. The trousseau will be presented to her.

It is said that a 200 gown has been donated by a prominent St. Louis merchant for the wedding.

Mile Baker will demonstrate the fitting as the different articles of dress are put upon the bride.

When the bride has been fitted with gown, hat and veil, the groom will be brought in and the marriage ceremony performed before the spectators. To the bride will be presented by the National Dressmakers' Association every article of clothing which has been put upon her, as a wedding gift.

The dressmakers will assemble at 10 o'clock this morning and will be in session all day, as this in to be the end of their convention. Many interesting subjects will be discussed.

SAYS MUCH DEPENDS ON CORSET FOR TRIM FIGURE.

Tells Dressmakers They Should Not Risk Reputations by Trusting to Customers' Judgment.

The International Society of Dressmakers held its fourth day's session in Music Hall yesterday afternoon and listened to an interesting lecture on fitting, illustrated with three living models, by Mrs. Helene Crosby of Battle Creck, Mich. Mrs. Crosby demonstrated the necessity

of the perfectly fitting corset, and showed of the perfectly fitting corset, and showed how much depends on the corset for the neat and trim appearance of the figure. She impressed on the dressmakers the fact that they should study their models before they try to make a gown, to be careful of sharp contrasts. She said they should learn to use their own judgment in cutting and fitting to get the desired effect, rather than to depend on the whims of the customer, and endanger their reputations by turning out an ill-fitting or unbecoming gown.

After the demonstration she gave a short talk on a method of thiting silks and laces, by using oil paints and decodrized gazoline. A session was held last night and many interesting discussions were heard.

COTTON MARKET FEVERISH, WITH WIDE FLUCTUATIONS.

Points After Heavy Trading.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New York, Sept. 22. - Speculation in cot ton continued active to-day. The market opened about 10 points lower on scattered selling and liquidation, with some bear pressure, because the Liverpool markets did not respond as fully as had been expected at our advance of yesterday.
Oct. sold at 19.55c, Dec. 10.75c, Jan. 19.80c,

Oct. sold at 19.55c, Dec. 16.75c, Jan 19.90c, March 19.57c, and May 16.57c. This was followed by general buying, which carried the market up to about last night's closing, after which there was a return to the opening decline. Later in the day this was followed by another sharp upward movement, in which the whole market went above yesterday's prices, with May the strongest feature and advancing 4 points over yesterday's high level.

The market was subjected to further heavy profit-taking and a rather vigorous raid under the lead of the principal outside operator and bear clique. This continued throughout the last hour and sent prices off about 20 points from the highest and about 19 to 15 points from hest night's closing. gust 20, 1996, dragged her by the hair about their room at No. 4131A Prairie about their room at No. 4IIIA Prairie avenue, and struck her. He threatened to shoot her, failed to support her and drank, she alleges. They were married in Little Rock, Ark., August 29, 1896.
Grace Coiweil alleges that her husband, George, deserted her December 1, 1992. They were married at Pekin, III., June 23, 1991. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Parker.
Florence M. Rose avers that her husband, Frank, cursed and swore at her, called her bad names, abused her, failed to support her and drank. He took money which she made conducting a restaurant and spent it on the races, she alleges, They were married in Chicago September 5, 1991, and separated September 12, 1994. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Allen.

losing.

Trading was on a heavy scale, with the narket feverish and prices fluctuating very erratically under mixed trading. MARKET ACTIVE AND BROAD

REPUBLIC SPECIAL New Orleans, La., Sept. 2.-The Times Democrat in its summary of the cotton situation will say to-morrow:

Democrat in its summary of the cotton situation will say to-morrow:

"Yesterday's cotton market was active and broad. The decline of some 29 points was perfectly natural and healthy. Even if values are ultimately to rise very much above the present level it would be folly to force the issue so early in the season while the bulk of the crop remains to be handled. The natural forces of time will do their work unaided. Any effort at manipulation is bound to be dangerous.

"Crop accounts have undergone no essential change. The bears contend that even after making all possible allowance for deterioration, the Government's October report will still forceshadow a yield fully up to the world's requirements. The considerable increase in acreage is, of course, relied upon to make good any deficiency in the yield. It is too soon to form opinions on questions of this sort, for even the Government's October bulletin will be by no means decisive.

"The large exports to Great Britain and the Continent show pretty plainly that the European spinner, at least, is not disposed to fold his hands. No doubt spot demand would fall away if an extreme advance should be forced, but cotton at 1949 cents does not seem too high to people who have recently seem it sentee at B cents. American mills complain of all sorts of trouble, but one may be pretty sure that this chapter approaches the beginning of the end. One thing is already pretty certain; this crop is not so big that every bale of it will not be wanted. The problem of the price will have to be settled by the rough-and-tumble methods of the rings."

reductions were made by the beam and paster pools.

The reduction of billets is \$2.50 a ten and on atted bars \$1 a ten. On sheet and tin bars the reduction is only \$2.50. The soread between billets and bars has been increased from \$1.30 to \$2. Pittshurg reports a better demand for billets in two sales agreementing 18.60 tons for lion, two sales agreementing 18.60 tons for lion, two sales agreementing 18.60 tons for lion the cities the demand for Northern iron has increased. Southern iron is rather weaker, sales having been reported as low at \$2.

HAD BEEN AWAY 34 YEARS.

P. H. Smith Returned to Visit Fair and Look for Relatives.

who left St. Louis 26 years ago, called at the Probate Court yesterday, seeking information of relatives and learned that his uncle, Lawrence Smith, with whom he lived before going West, died about twen ty years ago.

ty years ago.

His uncle's estate was administered upon hy M. D. Lewis, who was public administrator at the time. From the files Smith obtained the addresses of his uncle's daughters, Kate. Martha and Josephine, and other relatives.

Smith's sister, Mrs. Anna Hoffman, lives on De Solo street. Smith was a boy when he left here. His uncle then lived in East St. Louis.

Smith came to St. Louis for the two-fold purpose of visiting the World's Fair and looking up his relatives. He first got track of Policeman Richard D. Ward, a relative, who is stationed at the Dispensary, Ward gave to him a letter to Deputy Probate Clerk Chris Ghio, who looked up the records. Smith is the guest of Ward, who lives at No. 4524 Louisiana avenue.

Through the Green Hills of Vermon Boston tourist sleeper. Leaves St. Louis very Monday morning at 8:50, via Illinois central-Grand Trunk route. 38 North

SERGEANT DOWDALL RESIGNS. Probably Will Engage in Fire In-

surance Business. Sergeant William T. Dowdall forwarder his resignation to Chief of Police Kiely yesterday, and it will be acted on by the Police Board. There is little doubt that it

The Ladies' Auxiliary, Visitation Coun-cil, No. 52, Knights of Father Mathew, will be accepted.

It is understood that he will enter some will give a select dance to-night in Trimp's Hall, at Grand and Easton ave-

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surance business. Sergeant Dowdall has been a prominent figure in politics for many years. He has been a strong adherent of Harry B. Hawes, and was slated for the superintendency of the Workhouse, but before the appointment was approved his name was withdrawn.

THREE WIVES SEEK DIVORCE.

One Says Husband Dragged Her

by the Hair.

Ruth Jabine charges in her suit for di-

rorce, filed in the Circuit Court yester-

day, that her husband, Eugene, on Au-

REVIEW OF THE IRON TRADE.

Pittsburg Reports Better De-

Cleveland, Sept. 22.-The Iron Trade Re-

on Monday complete the readjustment of the

teel market commenced early this month, when

Repairing of Fine Watches And Jewelry a specialty. F. W. Droster Seventh and Pine.

Inventory of Bernero Estate.

An inventory of the estate of Louis

Bernero, filed in probate yesterday, de-

scribes seven parcels of real estate and a

personal estate and a personal estate and a personal estate of \$5.47.25. The realty consists of 49 feet at Nos. 209 and \$02 Washington avenue, residence at No. 489 Lindell boulevard, 30 feet at No. 438 Marfitt avenue, Nos. 415 and 443 McPherson avenue, No. 1413 Olive street and No. 201 Morgan street and the Westmoreland Hotel property at Taylor and Maryland avenues. The personalty comprises notes, \$23,704.19, and \$4,773.40 cash.

Washington Sleeper

Via Vandalia-Pennsylvania, 11:55 p. m

Photographers Elect Officers.

Topeku, Kas., Sept. 22.—The State Photographers' Association completed its

business to-day. The officers elected are J. P. Colville, Topeka, president; P. A. Miller, Arkansas City, secretary; B. G. Grondel, Lindsborg, treasurer; H. T. Hardin, Wichita, first vice president; Man Wolf, Manhattan, second vice president Wichita was chosen as next year's meeting place.

Rain General in Texas.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 22-A fierce rain and

Dailas, Tex., Sept. 22—A fierce rain and electrical storm prevailed over most of Texas after midnight last night. There was much damage to farm property. The Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Clarksville, Tex., was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire, The loss is \$6,00. Miss Ola Lizette, if years old was struck by lightning and killed, near Hillsboro.

Found Dend in Stable. The body of John Joseph Murphy, a

eddler, was found in a stable in the rear

f No. 2017 North Ninth street. He had

apparently died of natural causes, as no marks of violence were found on his body. A Coroner's inquest will be held to-day. His mother and brother live at No. 1677's North Nineteenth street.

Sleeper to Roanoke, Va., 8:44 a. m., Bleeper to Norfolk, Va., 12:45 noon daily via Vandalia-Pennsylvania Lines.

adler Auxiliary Dance.

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QUESTION TO BE REOPENED.

Acting Secretary of the Treasury to

Hear Arguments From Independ-

Washington, Sept. 23.-The independent

tobacco trade is thoroughly aroused by the

prospect that, as a result of the hearing

to be given Saturday morning before Act-

ing Secretary of the Treasury Taylor, the order of Assistant Secretary Armstrong

in charge of the customs service making a change in the customs stamp on im-

ported cigars, may be rescinded.

The Tobacco Trust is making a great ef-

fort to have the order revoked, and appealed from the Treasury Department to President Hoosevelt, who directed Mr. Taylor to give a hearing to both sides to the controversy. Both sides are making preparations to present their case in the most elaborate form at the hearing. The Tobacco Trust will probably be represented by Junius Parker and Josiah T. Wilcox, the general counsel and secretary of the trust, respectively.

The delegation of independents will include Simon Batt of New York, president of the Havana Cigar Manufacturers' Association of the United States, and other representatives of that association, and many other prominent tobacco men from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

Washington.
This matter has gone far beyond a mere

question of a change in the customs stamp. It is an out-and-out right of the independents against the trust. Since the establishment of the American Tobacco Company the independent manufacturers had never succeeded in defeating the trust on any issue before Congress or the departments, until the order of Mr. Armstrong making the change in the customs

Violating Injunction.

Hugh Testard and H. D. Caspary, ticket

brokers, were taken in charge yesterday

Wood for alleged violation of an injune

tion restraining them from dealing in non

transferable tickets, but were released on

The Pittsburgh Special

8:15 p. m. daily via Vandalla-Pennsylvania arriving Pittsburgh 2:25 p. m. next day.

MUST CARRY FEWER PERSONS.

Boiler Inspector Will Probe Ele

vator Accident in Office Building.

Orders were issued yesterday by the

Boiler Inspector's office that all elevator In the Century building hereafter she

carry five passengers instead of ten. The

carry five passengers instead of ten. The order was issued because of the accident at elevator No. 5 Wednesday night, when John Rumley, the elevator boy, lost control of the car and it dropped several stories before being caught by the automatic brakes. Rumley was suspended pending an investigation.

The orders also demanded that repairs on the elevators as recommended in August should be made at once. If they are not made all elevator service in the building will be stopped.

For diarrhoes, dysentery, etc., Wake-field's Blackberry Balsam, All druggists.

VISITOR'S JEWELS STOLEN.

Diamonds and Pearls Taken From

Doctor Nifong's House.

A diamond sunburst valued at \$25 and a pearl neckince were stolen from the residence of Doctor Frank G. Nifong, No. 824 North King's highway, some time between September 16 and September 21.

fort to have the order revoked,

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TICKET BROKERS ATTACHED. The jewelry is the property of Mrs. F. L. Guthrie, a World's Fair visitor, who is stopping at Doctor Nifong's residence. Mrs. Guthrie had not seen the jewels since September 14 and did not know they were gone until Wednesday evening, when she went to get them to wear. The police have no clew to the thief. Give Bond to Answer Charge of

Selld New York Trains Via Vandalia-Pennsylvania leave St. Louis daily 8.44 a. m., 12:30 noon, 11:35 p. m.

Kemper School Opens Well. EPUBLIC SPECIAL. Boonville, Mo., Sept. 22-Kemper Milltary School opened to-day with the lar-gest opening day attendance in the his-tory of the institution.

a bond of \$1.50.

The injunction was issued at the instance of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Rallway Company, which filed complaint of the alleged violation. Judge Wood ordered attachments to be issued and instructed the Sheriff, in the event of bond not being given, to hold the brokers until October 2, when they were to be produced in court.

The attachment was served on Caspary. Testard was in East St. Louis on business, it was stated. On his return he called at the Sheriff's office and accepted service.

John T. Fitzsimmons, Chief Deputy Circuit Clerk, approved the bond, which was turned over to Thomas R. Kilcullin, chief of the execution department of the Sheriff's office, who had the brokers in charge. Hotel Men Meet at St. Joseph St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 21.-The eleventh annual convention of the Missouri and Kansas Hotel Men's Association is in session here, attended by eighty dele-gates, representing 500 members.

Jewels Lost in the Flames. Not a necklace of glass, but flery bril-liants consumed to-night at 7.45 o'clock, in the Stadium, World's Fair grounds. Pain's Fireworks.

Arkansas Shriners' Event. EPUBLIC SPECIAL

Pine Bluff, Ark., Sept. 22—Shriners are braited their sixtleth wedding anniversary. They were married in Newton Falls. O. They were married in Newton Falls. O. They were married in Newton Falls. O. 1844. All of their five children are living.

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sixty candidates will be initiated. At least 500 Shriners will attend from Pine Bluff, the home o the Shriners in Ar-kansas. A special train will carry the party to Hot Springs.

Miss Gould Sends Presents. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Pine Bluff, Ark., Sept. 22-Miss Helen Gould has just sent to the local Y. M. C. A. several handsome presents to be used in the association work.

Celebrate Their 60th Anniversary. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Chillicothe, Mo., Sept. 22,-Judge and



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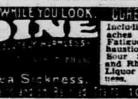
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